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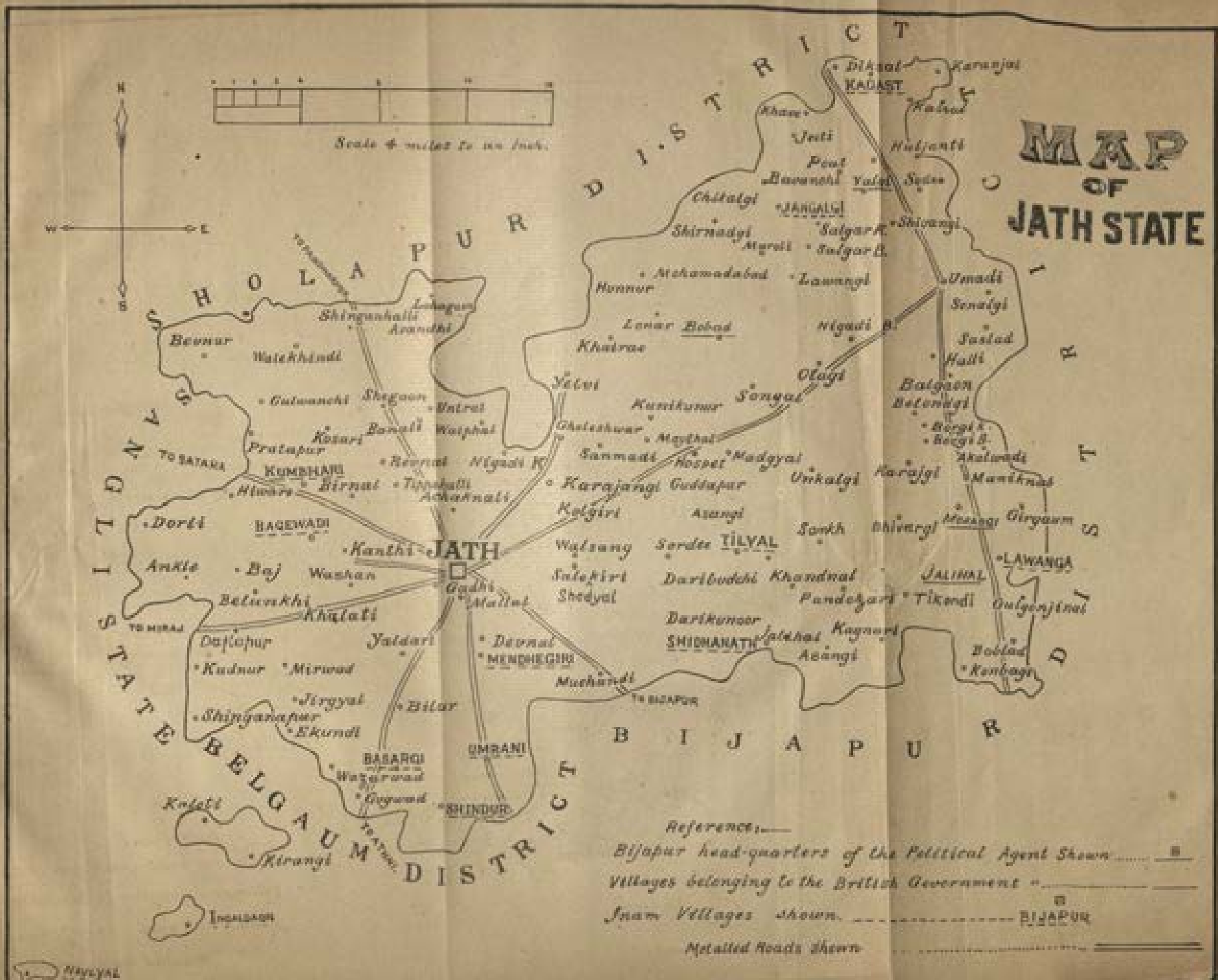
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From,

Raobahadur S. R. Tirodkar,

State Karbhari of Jath.

To,

C. G. HENDERSON ESQUIRE, I. C. S.

Political agent, Bijapur.

Jath/6th August 1923.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit, by direction of the Chief, the Annual Administration Report of the Jath State for the year 1922-23 or Fasli year 1332 ending on the 6th June 1923, with the usual appendices, prescribed by Government.

Chapter I.

General and Political.

2 This State comprises an area of 980·8 Square Miles and has under its control 119 Villages. According to the Census of 1921, it has a population of 82,654 souls. The gross revenue of the State based on the average of the past five years including Service Inams amounts to Rs. 2,88,450, the average adjustment of Service Inams being Rs. 29,124.

3 The State pays a commuted sum of Rs. 11,247 to the British Government-Rs. 6,400 for Horse contingent and Rs. 4,847 for Sirdeshmukhi rights.

4 The Chief, Shrimant Ramrao Amritrao alias Abasaheb Dafle, completed his 37th year on 10th January 1923. He is a Treaty Chief and a First Class Sardar in the Deccan. His wife, shrimati Soubhagyavati Bhagirathibai Saheb, belongs to the ruling family of Akalkot, being the second daughter of late Rajesaheb Shahaji Raje Bhosale. She is 33 years of age.

5 The Chief has five children; three sons and two daughters. The eldest son, Kumar Shri Vijayasing alias Babasaheb, second son Kumar Shri Ajitsing alias Bhausaheb & the third son Kumar Shri Udayasing alias Bhaiyasaheb are respectively 14,11 and 3 years and 3 months old. The eldest daughter Shrimant Kumari Pramila Raje alias Akka-Saheb is 13 years old and second daughter Shrimant Kumari Kamala Raje is 8 years old having been born respectively on the 8 th August 1910 and 30 th August 1915.

6 There is a satisfactory progress in the education of the Kumars and their sisters. One Graduate Tutor has been recently engaged to give higher education to Kumar Shrimant Babasaheb.

7 Shrimant Bai Anandibai alias Maisaheb, the junior widow of the late Chief and her daughter, Shrimant Soubhagyavati Yeshodabai alias Akkasaheb are the only other members of the Chief's family. Shrimant Akkasaheb stays at Satara with her husband Sardar Pratapsing Bhosale. The health of the Chief and of his family has been good.

8 On 11th November 1922, in deference to the wishes of His Imperial Majesty the King Emperor, complete silence for two minutes commencing at 11 A. M, was observed in commemoration of the fourth anniversary day of the Armistice.

9 On the 15th July 1922, the Chief went to Bijapur to see Mr. C. G. Henderson, I. C. S. the Political Agent.

10 On 19th July 1922, the Chief paid a visit to the Honourable Mr. L. J. Mountford, C. B. E, M. L. C., I. C. S., Commissioner, Southern Division, at Belgaum.

11 On the 8th of August 1922, the Chief had been to Poona to attend His Excellency the Governor's Darbar for Sardars in the Deccan.

12 The Chief with his family went to Bombay in December last to see the Red Cross Fete.

13 Mr. Henderson, the Political Agent, in the course of his official visit came to Jath on 6th January 1923 and went back to Bijapur on 9th January 1923.

14 The Chief and the Ranisaheb had been to Akalkot on 5th April 1923 to pay a visit of condolence to the Ranisaheb of Akalkot for the untimely tragic death of the late Captain (Honorary) Meherban Fatesinha alias Bapu-Saheb, Rajesaheb, which took place at Poona, on 3rd April 1923 under circumstances which have appeared in News-papers. The late Rajesaheb being the Ranisaheb's brother, his sudden death was greatly felt by her as well as the Chief. All Public offices, schools and shops at Jath were closed on 4th April 1923 in honour of the memory of the deceased Rajesaheb

15 The Chief is most thankful to Government for removing all controlling jurisdiction over his State and thus investing him with full administrative powers.

16 The Chief is also thankful to Government for exempting this State from payment of extra pay and allowances to Mr. K. A. Davangeri for the period of his deputation to this State (Vide Government Resolution No, 5950 dated 18th November 1922, Revenue Department).

17 With the permission of Government a teacher from Jath English School was sent to Lonavla in March 1923 to undergo the course of training in Boy-Scouting as the Darbar proposes to start Boy-Scouting movement in the English and Marathi Schools at Jath during the current year. The Darbar is highly obliged to Government for having granted the permission.

Territorial Force Recruiting.

18 During the year under report, 46 recruits were enrolled in the 11th Territorial Battalion, 5th Maratha Light Infantry, from this State. They were sent to Belgaum where they received training in March and April 1923. They were recruited by Pensioner Subhedar Major Abdul Rahiman Khan of 71/1fI Infantry, who worked hard and took great trouble and interest in collecting the recruits and for this, the Darbar is greatly thankful to him.

19 The following donations were given to several Institutions in the year under review.

1 Rs. 200 were paid to the Red Cross Fete held in Bombay in December 1922, (Rs. 100 by the Chief and Rs. 100 by the Ranisaheb).

2 Rs. 500 were paid as part payment of the contribution of Rs. 2,000/ promised towards the Maratha Educational Conference at Gwalior.

3 Rs. 50 were paid as contribution to the Bijapur orphanage.

4 Rs. 500 were paid as part payment of the contribution of Rs. 2,000/. promised to the Endowment Fund of the Rajkumar College, Rajkot.

Changes in the Personnel.

20 There was no change in the personnel of the principal Officers of the State, during the year, under review.

Chapter II

Administration of land.

21 The original Survey rates of all the lands in the State including 13 Dumala villages were increased by 25 per cent in 1910. The increased rates are guaranteed for 15 years. The Revision Survey operations are in progress in the State.

22 At the beginning of the year under review, the net area of waste land was 2,065 Acres and 33 Gunthas against 1,815 Acres and 23 Gunthas in the previous year, out of which 133 Acres and 6 Gunthas were taken up for cultivation. No land out of the cultivable area was added to the waste during the year. The net area lying waste at the end of the year, was 1,929 Acres and 27 Gunthas.

23 The number of Inam cases disposed of during the year under the Inam Rules was 87 against 138 in the previous year.

24 No boundary disputes were settled during the year under review.

25 According to the Jamabandi, the net land revenue demand of the State including Local Funds came to Rs. 1,87,888 as against Rs. 1,82,816 in the previous year and including the arrears of the past years which amounted to Rs. 27, 292, the total amount of land revenue for collection during the year was Rs. 2,15,180 against Rs 2,25,145 of the last year, of which Rs 1,80,721 were collected during the year as against Rs. 1,96,092 in the preceding year. Rs. 386 were written off as irrecoverable and Rs.

34,091 remained to be collected at the end of the year. These arrears, when compared with those of the last year, are, no doubt, a little larger; but considering that the year under report was exceptionally a bad one, they cannot be said to be heavy.

26 According to the Jamabandi of the three Estates-Deshmukhi, Khavaskhani and Khasgi, the total amount of revenue demand amounted to Rs. 52,500 as against Rs. 51,512 of the last year. The arrears of the past years were Rs. 20,964. The total amount for collection, thus, stood at Rs. 73,464, of which Rs. 47,801 were collected and Rs. 391 were written off as irrecoverable against Rs. 54,875 and Rs. 1,552 of the previous year, leaving Rs. 25,272 to be recovered at the end of the year.

27 No amount of Tagai was advanced to agriculturists from the State during the year but Rs. 300 were given from the Famine Insurance Fund and Rs, 11,430 from the Jath Peoples' Bank. Out of the total amount of Tagai (Rs. 41, 907) that remained uncollected at the beginning of the year, Rs. 6,537 were recovered as principal, leaving a balance of Rs. 35,370 to be recovered at the end of the year, of which Rs. 21,663 were under the Land Improvement Loans Act and Rs. 13,707 under the Agriculturists Act.

28 Rs. 2,529 were realised by sale of moveable property in the case of 46 recalcitrant defaulters under Section 154 of the Land Revenue Code. With this exception, no coercive measures were adopted for the recovery of land revenue.

Chapter III.

Legislation.

29 Appendix II shows the laws in force in the State.

Act I of 1922 of the Jath State (amending Court Fees Act VII of 1870 and Act II of 1922 also of this State (amending Stamp Act II of 1899) were made applicable to the State during the year.

Military Force.

30 There is no Military Force in the State.

Police.

31 The details of the Police Force its costs, education &c. will be seen from Appendix IV. The total strength of the Police of all ranks during the year was 115 against 117 of the last year, the difference being due to the reduction of 2 places of constables. 52 Police men are armed with Guns, 26 with Bored out Martini Rifles and an equal number with Muzzle Loaders, and all are provided with Batons. Out of the 115 Police men, 47 are able to read and write.

The Mounted Police are provided with swords and lances.

32 The total cost incurred on account of the Police force was Rs. 18,924 as against Rs. 18, 937 last year.

33 During the year under report, 40 Constables were departmentally punished for breach of discipline and misconduct and one was dismissed. 6 Constables were rewarded by promotion for good services and one was given money reward against 3 and one respectively in the previous year.

34 Appendices V and VI show the result of the working of the Police.

35 Including the balance of 45 offences remaining in the hands of the Police for investigation at the end of the last year, the total number of cases for disposal during the year with the Police was 164 against 184 last year. Of these, 88 against 99 were struck off the file, 38 against 40 were brought before the Magistrates and 38 against 45 remained under investigation in the hands of the Police at the end the year.

36 The total number of persons arrested by the Police during the year was 99 and including the two persons remaining with the Police at the end of the last year, the total number of accused was 101. Of these, 4 remained under Police investigation, 53 were convicted, 28 acquitted or discharged, 1 died and 15 remained under trial against 40 convicted, 43 acquitted or discharged, nil died and two remaining under trial in the year before.

37 Out of the 6 accused persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the last year, one was convicted, 3 acquitted or discharged and 2 died.

38 The percentage of persons convicted to persons arrested and sent for trial was respectively 52.4 and 55.2 against 45.9 and 50.5 in the year before. These results are more satisfactory than last year.

39 Appendix VI shows the value of property stolen and recovered during the year under report. The amount of property stolen was Rs. 10,100 against Rs. 5,910 last year and that of property recovered was Rs. 2,413 as against Rs. 3,711 giving a percentage of 23. 9 against 62·8 of the last year.

40 The ratio of Police to the area and population of the State is 1 to every 8 Square Miles and 719 souls respectively.

41 During the year, 3 cases of murder were reported with 9 persons involved therein of whom 7 were convicted and 2 remained pending trial at the close of the year.

One person awaiting trial in a murder case at the close of the last year was acquitted during the year under report.

42 There was no case of culpable homicide under Section 304, Indian Penal Code, during the year.

43 There was no case of incendiarism during the year under report.

44 Property worth Rs. 2,878 against Rs. 1,787 was destroyed accidentally by fire during the year under report.

45 30 cases of accidental deaths and 4 cases of suicide were reported during the year against the same number and 7 respectively of the last year.

46 No persons were dealt with under Chapter VIII of the Criminal Procedure code during the year under report against 8 in the preceding year.

47 The number of Village Police remained the same during the year viz, 119. They assist the District Police in detecting crimes and bringing offenders to justice. Their services are partly remunerated by Inam lands and partly by cash.

About 50 Police men were given shooting practice with ball ammunition during the year of report.

Capture of Sitaram Ambaji Gondhali

48 On 14th October 1922, the Villagers of Revnal, Kosari, Kumbhari and Pratapur saw a band of 20 men passing through their village limits with arms, and suspecting them to be dacoits chased them. The dacoits dispersed in various directions. Pursuit was still continued with the result that one Sitaram Ambaji Gondhali the leader, was apprehended near Pratapur in this State. This man had formed a Gang of about 20 men and committed 3 dacoities in one night on 12th October 1922 at Jir-Ankalgi, in Indi Taluka of the Bijapur District. This man belonged to Dhulgaon of the Sangli State and his associates were from different villages nearly 50 miles away from the place of offence and had not this man been caught, the offence could not have been brought to light. The Villagers of Jir-Ankalgi, it is said, fought desperately with the dacoits and killed two of the dacoits. The captors mentioned above acted on their own initiative and captured, the famous dacoit without the aid of the Police and for this brave act, the Chief suitably rewarded them in open Darbar held at Jath on 3rd November 1922 for the purpose. The Darbar feels proud to remark that its ryots upheld the good traditions of the past. This dacoit was surrendered to Bijapur Police in December 1922 and has since been adequately punished.

Criminal Tribes.

49 Except Bhamptas, Haranshikaris and Berads, there are no criminal tribes residing in the State These have been kept under proper check. The work of registering the criminal tribes is under preparation and is expected to finish in a short time.

Criminal Justice.

50 The number of Criminal Courts at work in the State during the year under report, was 10. The particulars of the work done by these Courts will be seen from Appendices VII and VIII.

51 The total number of offences dealt with by these Courts during the year under report, including the balance of 7 cases remaining from the last year, was 145 as against 221 of the previous year. The total number of accused persons involved therein, including the balance of 13 of the last year, was 333 against 513 of the preceding year; of these, 325 were actually brought to trial during the year, of these latter again, the Police arrested

36 against 35, 33 against 48 were arrested upon warrants, 193 against 339 appeared on summonses, 2 against 4 appeared voluntarily and one was arrested in the presence of the Magistrate. The total number of persons for disposal by the several Magistrates during the year was 334 against 503, of whom 64 were discharged, 144 were acquitted, 63 convicted, 32 committed to the Courts of Sessions, one died, one escaped and 29 remained awaiting trial at the end of the year.

Of the 144 acquittals, 112 were compounded under Section 345, Criminal Procedur Code.

52 Including the 4 of the last year, there were 36 accused persons before the Courts of Sessions for disposal, of whom 22 were convicted, 10 were acquitted or discharged, 2 died and 2 remained awaiting trial at the end of the year.

53 The amount of fine inflicted by the several Courts during the year amounted to Rs. 2,895 against Rs. 1,156 in the year before.

Appellate work

54 The number of Criminal Appellate Courts working during the year under review remained the same as last year viz, 3. Appendix IX gives the particulars of the work done by these Courts.

55 There were 13 appeals in the Chief's Court against 3 in the last year. Of these, 11 were rejected, 1 confirmed and one modified.

56 The State Karbhari as Sessions Judge had three appeals, of which one was rejected, one confirmed and the third modified.

57 The District Magistrate had 6 appeals before him of which, one was rejected three confirmed and two modified.

Civil Justice.

58 There were three Civil Courts in the State during the year under report. Appendices X and XI show in detail the work done by these Courts. No case was filed in the First Class Sub-Judge's Court, during the year under report, but out of the two cases which remained pending at the close of the last year, one was disposed of during the year and the other remained undisposed of at the end of the year. One case of the previous year pending in the District Judge's Court remained undisposed of at the close of the year.

59 The number of suits filed during the year in the Second Class Sub-Judge's Court was 227 against 159 last year and including the balance of 185 suits remaining undisposed of at the close of the previous year, the total number of suits for disposal was 412 against 336 in the preceding year. Of these, 225 were decided during the year against 181 and 187 as against 185 remained pending at the close of the year.

Of the total number of suits, filed during the year, 99 were for landed property and 128 for money transactions.

The average duration of suits was 8 months and 25 days as against 10 months and 16 days last year.

60 The value of suits filed during the year was Rs. 44,691 as against Rs. 22,933 and that of suits disposed of was Rs. 30,117 as against Rs. 26,665 last year.

Appellate Court.

61 Appendix XII shows the work done by the Civil Appellate Courts. Including the balance of one of the last year, there were 10 appeals for disposal by the Chief's Court. Of these, 5 against 3 were disposed of during the year leaving a balance of 5 at the close of the year against one in the preceding year. The average duration of appeal was 2 months and 2 days against 3 months and 1 day last year.

62 The State Karbhari exercises the powers of the District Judge. There were 12 appeals filed in his Court during the year and including the balance of 17 at the close of the last year, the total number for disposal by him was 29 of which, 19 against 9 were disposed of during the year leaving a balance of 10 against 17 undisposed of at the end of the year.

Execution of Decrees.

63 The work of the execution of decrees done by the Civil Courts will be seen from Appendix XI. The number of applications for execution of decrees during the year was 217 against 197 and including the balance of 174 from the last year, the total number for disposal was 391 against 393 of the last year. Of these, 211 against 189 were disposed of during the year and 180 against 174 remained pending at the close of the year.

The Mamlatdars' Courts Act.

64 Four suits were filed in the Mamlatdars's Court during the year of which, 2 were disposed of before the close of the year. The average duration of suits was 3 months and 14 days against 10 days in the previous year. There were 2 revision applications against the Mamlatdar's decision during the year. They were disposed of during the year with the result that in one, the decision of the Lower Court was confirmed and in the other, it was reversed.

Extradition.

65 During the year under report, 19 persons from the British territory and one from Jamkhandi State were obtained by extradition and 2 accused persons were surrendered to the British Courts for trial. Out of the 20 persons so obtained, 19 were convicted and one remained pending trial in the Magistrate's Court.

Prisons.

66 There is only one Jail at Jath. The Jail building is fairly strong and well ventilated. The building affords accommodation for 50 male prisoners.

The Chief Medical Officer Superintends the Jail. It is proposed to make certain extensions to the building and the work will be taken in hand shortly.

67 Appendix XIII shews the number of prisoners in the Jail and lock-ups. The number of prisoners admitted in the Jail during the year under report was 53 against 28 in the previous year. Including 25 prisoners remaining over at the end of the last year, the total number of prisoners was 78 against 50 in the previous year. Of these, 43 prisoners were released either on the expiry of their sentences or on appeals or on special occasions during the year and 35 prisoners against 25 remained in the Jail at the close of the year.

68 The Official and Non-Official visitors paid periodical visits to the Jail. There was no death among the prisoners in the Jail. The health of the prisoners was on the whole, good and their conduct satisfactory.

69 No industry of any sort is attached to the Jail. The prisoners are generally employed in the State gardens, in pumping water and other miscellaneous works.

70 Jail regulations are observed in the Jail and remissions granted according to the remission system.

71 The total expenditure stood at Rs. 4,049 against Rs. 4,174 in the previous year. The annual dietary cost per head was Rs. 55 against Rs. 78 in the previous year.

72 There is one lock-up for under trial prisoners in the Jail. There were 19 under trial prisoners at the end of the year.

Registration.

73 The details of the work done by the Registration Department are summarised in Appendices XIV and XV. The total number of documents received for Registration was 803 against 749 in the previous year, all of which were registered. The fees realised on account of registration were Rs. 3,353 as against Rs. 2,848 and the expenditure incurred on establishment &c, amounted to Rs. 801 as against Rs. 744 in the preceding year. The increase in the fees realised is due to the increase in the number of documents registered.

Municipalities.

74 There is only one Municipality in the State and it is at Jath. Appendix XVI compares the receipts and expenditure of the Municipality for the year under report with those of the previous year.

House tax, Sanitary cess, Shingoti tax and tax on exported goods are the principal sources of income. The principal items of expenditure are general conservancy, lighting and road repairs. The sanitation of the town was carefully attended to by the Municipal body.

75 The Municipality consists of 12 Councillors all elected. They have their own President, elected from among them. The State only exercises general supervision.

Wards Estates.

76 Appendix A gives full particulars of the Wards Estates. The Treasury officer in the Mamlatdar's office looks after all the wards estates under the direct supervision of the Chief. There were 21 estates with 39 wards under the management of the State, at the beginning of the year. One estate was restored to one minor on his attaining majority during the year and one new estate with one ward was taken under the management of the State. The number of estates and wards therefore remained the same during the year under report.

Chapter IV.

Production and distribution.

77 Weather, Crops and Rain-fall:-Appendix XVII gives the rain-fall at Jath during the year. The total rain-fall during the year amounted to 14 Inches & 55 Cents against 16 Inches and 27 Cents of the previous year Although the rain-fall of June and July was not copious, it was sufficient for the sowing of Kharif and Kharif crops were sown but owing to failure of rain in the three succeeding months, Kharif crops withered resulting in a total failure. As regards Rabi, although there was not enough moisture for Rabi sowings, they were sown in a very small area and would have met the same fate as that of kharif, but the November rains saved them from total destruction The outturn of this crop also was very poor. On the whole, the season was worse than that of last year especially to agriculturists.

78 Appendix XVIII compares the prices of the principal food stuffs with those of the last year.

Wages and labour.

79 The rates of wages of skilled and unskilled labour ranged respectively from 14 Annas to 20 Annas and 6 Annas to 8 Annas. There was keen demand for labour throughout the year.

80 The information of the agricultural stock is given in Appendix XX. There was decrease in the number of plough bullocks and cows.

Forests.

81 The area under forests at the beginning of the year was 37,823 Acres and 36 Gunthas, of which, 3, 392 Acres and 28 Gunthas constituted Reserve Forest and 34,431 Acres and 8 Gunthas open forest. Out of the former, 63 Acres and 11 Gunthas were thrown out for cultivation. The net forest area at the close of the year was 37,760 Acres and 25 Gunthas.

82 Grazing fees collected during the year amounted to Rs.11,292 against Rs 8,802. The receipts realised from sale of grass, wood and fuel &c and pass fees were Rs. 479 and Rs. 392 against Rs. 659 and Rs. 622 respectively. The total expenditure of the Forest Department stood at Rs. 2,775 against Rs. 3,289 of the last year.

Seeds of Babul, Limb and other forest trees are annually planted in closed forest area but owing to insufficient rain, they do not grow well.

83 The remark made in previous years reports about the appointment of a trained Forest officer holds good this year also.

Post Office.

84 There is one combined Post and Telegraph office at Jath and two branch post offices-one at Daflapur and the other at Umadi.

The trade in betel leaves at Bilur is daily increasing. The owners of betel leaves plantations have dealings with the merchants at various places-notably Bombay and there being no post office at Bilur, people have to come to Jath 9 miles-to post their letters to their great inconvenience and delay. The necessity of a post office at Bilur is therefore greatly felt. The inhabitants had applied to the postal Authorities for the opening of a post office at Bilur and offered to defray the cost of two postal runners but their application was not favourably considered. The Darbar trusts that the postal Authorities will again be pleased to reconsider the question and remove the inconvenience felt by the inhabitants.

Trade and manufacture.

85 The situation of Jath is wholly unfavourable for trade, Jath being far from Railway Lines, there is no prospect of the trade increasing.

Sugar, salt, piece-goods &c, are the principal articles of import and exports are Bajri, wheat, Gram, Cotton and betel leaves.

Coarse country cloth and rough blankets are manufactured in some villages. Carpets and brass pots are made at Umadi and felt rugs at Vaspet but the manufacture of these articles is on the decline.

Country shoes are made at Jath and taken abroad for sale. Tarwad Bark is used in tanning country shoes.

Excise revenue.

86 The Abkari rights (Toddy and Country liquor) of this State have been leased to Government. The yearly compensation received by the State for the loss of its Abkari revenue is Rs. 5,150. The amount of Hemp Drugs compensation is Rs. 1,875. Appendix XXI gives the number of Excise shops in the State. The State also receives Rs. 1232-11-2 annually on account of Salt compensation.

Public Works.

87 Appendix XIX gives the details of the amount spent on public works. The total expenditure during the year under review amounted to Rs. 91,351 against Rs. 83,780 of the last year. Of this amount, Rs. 71,617 were expended on original works, viz. the new Palace and the remaining sum was spent on repairs of the State buildings, schools, Dharmshalas, roads &c.

Famine.

88 No famine works were started during the year. Rs. 300 were advanced for repairing old wells and Bandhs.

Grain Store Societies.

89 No new grain store societies were established in the State villages during the year. The number of societies remained the same, namely 3.

General condition of the State and people.

90 The season was on the whole bad. The rain-fall this year was scanty (much below the average of the past 5 years) and Kharif and Rabi crops failed yielding an out-turn of 2 Annas. The ryots in the eastern part of the State were more fortunate than their brothers in the west. The general poverty of agriculturists is due to series of bad seasons, want of economy and foresight. Loans of Rs. 11,430 were advanced from the Jath Peoples Bank to a large number of agriculturists to meet their demands The agricultural stock slightly decreased. Drinking water supply was scanty in some places. Small-pox appeared in 8 villages and Cholera broke out in one village. With these exceptions, there was no epidemic of any sort prevailing in the State and public health was good. On the whole, the year under report proved very bad and told heavily on the agricutural class especially the ryots of the western villages.

Chapter v.

Revenue and Finances.

91 Appendix XXII contrasts in detail the total receipts and expenditure of the State for the years 1921-22 against those of 1922-23.

92 The year opened with a balance of Rs. 31,216 as against Rs 15,072. The gross revenue of the State exclusive of Inam adjustment and the amount of loan taken from Government during the year amounted to Rs. 3,12,071 as against Rs. 3,48,872 showing a decrease of Rs 36,801. The decrease occurs principally, under the following heads:-

1 Land Revenue.....Rs. 14,608
2 Sayar Revenue.....Rs. 8,976
3 Miscellaneous.....Rs. 8,650
4 Advances recovered..... Rs.11,300
5 Deposits.....Rs. 9,713

The decrease under the first head is due to bad season; that under the second head needs no explanation, as the revenue is fluctuating; that under Miscellaneous is due to the amount on account of the Political Agent's office Establishment being refunded to the State in the preceding year. There was no recovery of advances given to various persons during the year and this accounts for the decrease under the fourth head. The decrease under last head is fluctuating and needs no explanation. The small decreases under the other heads are due to bad season generally.

93 On the other hand, there is a corresponding increase under

1 Stamps.....Rs-5,146
2 Pension Fund.
[3] (Recoveries of loan) ...Rs.3,546
3 Advances
(a) Tagai.....Rs.3,289

which is due in the case of (1) to the increase in stamp duty and in the case of (2) and (3) to larger recoveries of the amounts having been made during the year of report.

94 On the expenditure side, the important items of increase are:—

1 Public works-New Palace.....Rs.10,014
2 Liquidation of debt.....Rs 7,746
3 Deposits .....Rs 3,685

The increase under (1) is due to larger out-lay having been incurred during the year on the Palace than in the preceding year; under (2) to the accumulated interest of the Ranisaheb's loan having been paid during the year and under [3] to fluctuating nature.

95 There is on the other hand a considerable decrease under (1) Treaties and Engagements; (2) Khasgi; (3) Famine Relief (4) Tagai and advances and [5] expenses in connection with His Royal Highness the prince of Wales' visit.

The payment of two years amount during the previous year accounts for the decrease under [1]. The decrease under [2] is due to reduction in Paga expenses, the absence of expenditure under [3], [4] and [5] similar to that incurred in the previous year accounts for the decrease under those heads.

96 The total Govrnment debt due by the State at the close of the year was Rs 2,90,000 Principal and Rs. 3, 020 interest. In addition the State owes Rs. 47,000 to the Ranisaheb.

Chapter VI

Medical Relief and Vital Statistics.

97 There is one charitable Dispensary at Jath. The details of the work done by it and the expenditure incurred in connection there with are given in Appendix XXIII. The number of patients treated during the year was 5,117 against 4,318 of the last year. The daily average attendance was 38 against 34.4 of the previous year. The total expenditure on Medical Relief during the year under report was Rs 3,968 against Rs 5,850 in the last year.

The Chief Medical Officer in charge of the Dispensary is a Graduate. The prevailing diseases in the year were fever, cough, bowel complaints, diarrhoea, sore eyes, skin diseases &c.

Vaccination.

98 The Vaccination Staff consists of two Vaccinators who work under the supervision of the Vaccination Inspector of the Bijapur District and the General control of the Assistant Director of public Health, Southern Registration District.

99 The number of primary vaccinations was 2,367 against 2,563 of the last year and that of re-vaccination 1,236 against 882. Of the primary

vaccinations, 2,361 against 2,563 were successful and of the re-vaccination 444 against 318 turned out successful. Calf lymph is in use. The total expenditure on Vaccination in the year under report amounted to Rs 884 against Rs 1,122 in the last year.

100 The number of births and deaths and the ratio per mille of population are given in Appendix XXIV as compared with those of the last year. The number of births and deaths were respectively 2,094 and 1,556 showing an increase of 195 and 268 over the number in the preceding year.

101 Epidemic:—small-Pox appeared in 8 villages of the State. The number of attacks was 87 and that of deaths 23. Prompt measures were resorted to, to prevent its spread. Cholera broke out in one village and carried away 6 victims. With these exceptions, there was no epidemic of any kind in the State during the year of report.

Chapter VII

Education.

102 There are in all 32 schools in the State as against 33 last year. The particulars of these schools will be seen from Appendix XXV One school was closed on account of low attendance. Of the 31 schools, one is Anglo Vernacular school and the rest are primary schools including one Girls school and one Vedic school.

The Jath, Umdi and Daflapur schools each sent up 3, 2 and 2 students for the Vernacular Final Examination of whom, one from each school came out successful.

The number of students in all the schools was 1,745 as against 1,479 in the preceding year.

All the Vernacular schools were inspected as usual.

103 The total expenditure under education during the year was Rs. 17,172 against Rs 16,498 of the last year

Education is imparted free in all the schools

Chapter VIII

Miscellaneous

104 Jath Peoples Bank:—The Banking business is progressing very satisfactorily. The year opened with a balance of Rs 4,202 in the beginning of the year. The collections on account of new Shares during the year amounted to Rs 1,355 Rs 7,490 were received as principal from debtors and Rs 4,500 on account of interest, Rs 695 were received as Deposits. In all, the Bank had thus at its disposal Rs 18,242. Out of this sum, Rs 11,430 were advanced as Tagai loan during the year, Rs 307 were spent on account of establishment charges. Rs 450 credited to Reserve Fund and Rs 1,655 paid as interest to Share-holders and Depositors, Rs 300 were returned to Depositors and Rs 4,100 remained with the Bank at the close of the year.

Printing Press.

105 There is one Printing Press in the State in which forms required for the use of the State are printed.

No News-papers are printed and published in the State.

Libraries

106 There is one registered public Library at Jath maintained partly by State Fund and partly by public subscriptions.

Wild animals.

107 Wild animals are very scarce in the State except wolves and wildpigs which cause damage to crops.

There were 3 deaths from snake bite during the year against 7 in the last year.

Fairs.

108 The usual annual fairs were held in the State - one at Jath [11 th of Margashirsh] and the other at Bilur [15 th of Magh]. The fair held at Jath in honour of Shri Yellamma Goddess was largely attended. A large number of cattle was brought for sale at the fair. The cattle show was held as usual and prizes amounting to Rs 226 were awarded to selected animals.

The fair held at Bilur in honour of Shri Bhairavnath God had also a fair attendance.

Sanitary measures and Police arrangements were good at both the fairs.

Tour.

109 I visited a part of the State during the year and did Jamabandi of the whole State.

Financial condition.

110 The financial condition of the State is far from satisfactory as Government are fully aware of. The total Government debt stands to-day at Rs 2,93,020, as explained in para 96 above. The successive bad seasons have completely marred the moral and material progress of the State and any important reforms are out of the question.

111 In conclusion, I am desired by the Chief to express his sincere and cordial thanks to you for the keen interest taken in the administration of the State and the kind treatment given to him from time to time.

I have the honour to be,
Sir.
Your most obedient Servant,

S. R. TIRODKAR.

State Karbhari of Jath.

LIST OF APPENDICES ACCOMPANYING THE ANNUAL ADMINISTRATION REPORT OF THE JATH STATE FOR THE YEAR 1922-23.

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Minors and their Estates

No.	NAME.	Age.	Place of residence	Place of education	Opening Balance
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	Kadapa Sangagonda Patil ...	15	Kaloti	Malapur (Mudhol State).	595
2	Chandrabai Kom Changouda Patil ...	20	Mendhegiri	.....	193
3	Trimbak Ramchandra Parolkar ...	14	Sankh ...	Sankh ...	889
4	Shripad Govind Kanade ...	15	Jath	Jath ...	73
5	Chandrabai Rangu Sonyalkar ...	14	„	„	67
6	Bhau Daji Jagtap ...	24	Boblad ...	„	95
7	1 Siwapa Sidramappa Hatti ...	15	Jath	Jath ...	717
	2 Gunawa „ „ ...	11	„	„	
	3 Gourawa „ „ ...	10	„	„	
	4 Satirawa „ „ ...	8	„	„	
8	1 Ramagouda Changouda Patil ...	19	Umrani	Umrani	117
	2 Girmalla „ „ ...	12	„		
9	1 Nivratti Vithu Bandagar ...	19	Salgar Khurd	„	393
	2 Sadu „ „ ...	10	„	„	
10	1 Tuka wd. Bhairu Dhor ...	14	Balgaon...	„	8
	2 Sambhu „ „ ...	10	„	„	
11	1 Madavela Nagapa Dhulgonda ...	9	Umdi	„	351
	2 Sivagangawa father Madavela ...	12	„	„	
12	1 Parawa father Siwapa Dolli ...	8	Jath	„	388
	2 Sawitri „ „ „ married ...	9	„	„	
13	1 Parbu Satyapa Basargi ...	18	Mendhegiri	Mendhegiri	61
	2 Nigapa „ „ ...	13	„	„	
14	Kallapa Sidraya Charki ...	14	Bilur	Jath ...	192
15	Malapa Mahalingapa Loni ...	14	Jath	„	45

DIX A.

for the Year 1922—23.

Receipts during the year 1922-23			Expenditure			Closing Balance	Value of moveable property including documents in hand	Area of land under management	
Recovery of debts	Income derived from land &c.	Total	Loan given	Miscellaneous.	Total			Acres	Assessment.
Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs		Rs
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
.....	733	733	....	997	997	331	800	237	153
1100	708	808	400	138	538	463	2425	176	108
1605	1511	2116	600	1601	2201	804	18120	387	165
235	164	399	125	187	312	160	3200	31	21
20	81	101	....	168	168	....	830	45	16
.....	....	....	....	9	9	86	...	95	40
2766	2272	5058	3700	1160	4860	894	45979	4736	118
250	403	653	180	508	688	82	2576	465	191
450	551	1001	100	925	1025	369	1050	70	35
.....	80	80	....	48	48	35	540	...	...
1100	228	328	200	217	417	262	4750	115	32
175	49	224	387	72	459	153	3412	32	33
99	28	127	75	8	83	106	538	...	...
500	158	658	400	278	678	172	4125	34	15
55	32	87	...	84	84	47	435	...	...

No.	NAME.	Age.	Place of residence	Place of education	Opening Balance
1	2	3	4	5	6
16	1 Gadagaya Apaya Swami ...	13	Jath	Jath	
	2 Chanbasaya Apaya ...	11	„	„ ...	
	3 Murgaya Apaya	10	„ ...	„ ...	97
	4 Ningaya Apaya ...	8	„	„ ...	
17	Anasuya father Dada Sawant	14	Banali ...	„ ...	167
18	1 Kalapa bin Mallapa Huzare	13	Daflapur ..	„	93
	2 Nagapa bin Mallapa	11	„ ...		
19	1 Malu bin Nana Supane	12	Kosari ...	„	51
	2 Ananda bin Nana Supane	10	„ ...		
	3 Yeshawanta bin Nana Supane	6	„		
	4 Savo Father's name Nana	15	„		
20	1 Uma Kom Dattu Huzare	11	Jath ...		
	2 Ganga father's name Khandu Huzare	10	„ ...		62
	3 Godu „ „	8	„ ...		
21	Tukaram Rajyapa Chambhor	12	Salgar ..		743
22	Tejapa Parasapa Mali	14	Mudgyal.	„ ...	...
	Total ...				5392

DIX A- (*Continued*)

Receipts during the year 1922-23			Expenditure			Closing Balance	Value of moveable property including documents in hand	Area of land under management	
Recovery of debts	Income derived from land &c.	Total	Loan given	Miscellaneous.	Total			Acres	Assessment.
Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs		Rs
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
.....	106	106	...	61	61	136	600	19	21
.....	117	117	...	49	49	235	...	130	35
.....	18	18	...	...	...	111	60	21	4
..	134	134	...	125	125	60	1100	79	15
	7	7	...	50	50	19	90	53	26
100	227	327	700	340	1040	30	300	29	15
...	73	73	...	32	32	41	...	80	12
5455	7674	131 9	6867	7057	13924	4589	91830	6832	1050

APPENDIX I.

Names of High Officials in the Jath State and Residency Officials, showing changes in personnel during the year 1922—23.

Names of Officers	Appointment	Period From	Period To	Remarks.
Rao Bahadur S. R. Tirodkar ...	State Karbhari ...	12-7-07		
Mr. K. K. Gokhale ...	Sub-Judge ...	6-3-06		
Mr. B. R. Tullu, L. M. & S ...	Chief Medical Officer ...	11-8-20		
Mr. A. M. Masurkar ...	Mamlatdar ...	10-10-04		

APPENDIX II.

List of Laws in force in the Jath State.

	Description	Whether adapted form British Indian Acts	Introduced during year under report	Remarks
1.	So much of Regulation 8 of 1827 as is still in force in the Bombay Presidency	YES.	NIL.	
2.	Section 27 of the Bombay Regulation 12 of 1822			
3.	Indian Act No. 45 of 1860 and subsequent Acts amending the same			
4.	India Act No. 6 of 1864 Whipping			
5.	„ „ 1 of 1871 Cattle Trespass			
6.	„ „ 9 of 1872 Contract			
7.	„ „ 1 of 1872 Evidence			
8.	„ „ 10 of 1873 Oaths			
9.	„ „ 2 of 1874 Jail			
10.	„ „ 1 of 1877 Specific Relief			
11.	„ „ 3 of 1877 Registration			
12	„ „ 1 of 1878 Opium			
13	„ „ 11 of 1878 Arms			
14.	„ 10 of 1870 Land Acquisition			
15.	„ „ 6 of 1878 Forest			
16.	„ „ 3 of 1897 Epidemic Diseases			
17.	„ „ 6 of 1898 Post Office			
18.	„ „ 13 of 1885 Telegraph			
19.	„ „ 5 of 1898 Criminal Procedure Code...			
20.	„ „ 2 of 1899 Stamp act with all its amending Acts. ...			
21.	„ „ 7 of 1870 Court Fees Act with all its amending Acts.			
21 a	„ „ 15 of 1903 Extradition Act ...			

APPENDIX II. (*Continued*)

	Description	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts	Introduced during year under report	Remarks
22.	India Act No. 12 of 1899 Currency Notes Forgery Act with all its amending Acts.			
23.	„ „ 6 of 1908 Explosive ...			
24.	„ „ 5 of 1908 Civil Procedue C.			
25.	„ „ 9 of 1908 Limitation. ...			
26.	„ „ 36 of 1858 Lunacy Act			
27.	„ „ 16 of 1910 Census ...			
28.	„ „ 18 of 1879 with subsequent amending Act No. 9. of 1884 and 11 of 1896. Legal Practitioner's Act. ...			
29.	„ „ 14 of 1882 Sections 334 and 360 Civil Procedure Code ...			
30.	„ „ 3 of 1911 Criminal Tribes Act			
31.	„ „ 7 of 1889 Succession Certificate ...			
32	Ordinance No. 1 of 1914 the Indian Naval and Military News (Emergency) Ordinance 1914 ...			
33.	Ordinance No 3 Regulating the arrival in, and departure from, British India of Non-Asiatic Foreigners			
34.	Bombay Act No. 8 of 1867 Village Police			
35.	„ „ 3 of 1874 Vatan Act ...			
36	„ „ 5 of 1886 Amending Vatan Act ...			
37.	„ „ 3 of 1910 Amending Vatan Act ...			
38.	„ „ 5 of 1878 Abkari ...			
39.	„ „ 12 of 1912 Amending Abkari.			
40.	„ „ 5 of 1879 Land Revenue ...			
41	„ „ 4 of 1913 Amending Land Revenue...			
42.	„ „ 3 of 1866 Sale of Poisons ...			

APPENDIX II. (*Continued*)

	Description	Whether adapted from British Indian Acts	Introduced during year under report	Remarks
43.	Bombay Act 3 of 1869 Local Funds. ...	YES	Act 1 of 1922 of the Jath State (amending Court Fees Act 7 of 1870) Act 2 of 1922 of the Jath State (amending Stamp Act 2 of 1899)	
44	,, ,, 3 of 1878 Tolls ...			
45.	,, ,, 2 of 1890 Salt Act with the Amending Acts ...			
46.	,, ,, The amendment of Section 34 Act No 6 of 1873 made by Clause (i) Section 43 of Bombay Act No. 2 of 1874 ...			
47.	,, ,, 4 of 1890 District Police ...			
48.	,, ,, 4 of 1912 Amending Dit. Police ...			
49.	,, ,, 2 of 1906 Mamlatdars Courts			
50.	,, ,, 3 of 1901 District Municipal			
51	,, ,, 4 of 1903 Record of Rights			
52.	India Act No. 8 of 1890 (Guardian and Wards Act)...			
53.	,, ,, 4 of 1882 (Transfer of property Act) ...			
54.	,, ,, 5 of 1881 (Probate and Administration Act with amending acts 6 of 1859 and 2 o. 1)			
55.	,, ,, 4 of 1910 (Census Act)			

APPENDIX III.

Appendix III is not given as there is no Military force in the Jath State.

APPENDIX IV.

Statement showing the strength cost, discipline and education of the Police for the year 1922—23.

Description of	Number	Pay of Grade	Total.	Punishments			Rewards		Education		Remarks.
				Dismissed	Fined, degraded or suspended departmently	Punished judicially	By promotion	By money	Number able to read and write	Number under instruction	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.	Rs.								
Sub-Inspector ...	1	50 + 15	18924	1	40	.....	6	1	47	68	
Constables of all grades including 9 sowars ...	114	25, 23, 20, 18, 16, 15, 14, 12, 11, 10.									
Total ...	115		18924	1	40	.....	6	1	47	68	

APPENDIX V.

Statement showing the working of Police in Jath State during the year 1922-1923.

State	Number of offence including the balance of last yeor		Number of accused arrested		Number of accused sent for trial		Number of accused convicted		Number of accused acquitted or discharged		Percentage of convictions to accused arrested		Percentage of convictions to accused sent for trial.		Remarks.
	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past yeor	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Jath ...	184	164	87	101	85	96	40	53	43	28	45·9	52·4	50·5	55·2	15 Remained under trial 4 Under police investigation.

APPENDIX VI.

Statement showing the value of the property stolen and the amount of recoveries in the Jath State during the year 1922-23.

State	Amount stolen		Amount recovered		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen		Remarks
	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.			
Jath	5910-0-0	10100-0-0	3711-0-0	2413-0-0	62·8	23·9	

APPENDIX—VII.

Statement showing the number of crimes committed, number of cases disposed of and cases awaiting trial in the Jath State during the year 1922-23.

Description of offences	Number of offences			Number of cases disposed of during past year	Number of cases disposed of during present year	Number of persons apprehended	Number of persons convicted	Number of persons sentenced							Number of persons acquitted or discharged	Number of persons con fined being insane	Number of persons died during or before trial	Terms of imprisonment									Remarks
								Imprisonment		Imprisonment and fine		Fine	Whipping	Total				Under one month	From 1 to 2 months	From 2 to 3 months	From 3 to 6 months	From 6 to 12 months	From 1 to 2 years	From 2 to 3 years	From 3 to 5 years	Above 5 years	Transportation	Capital punishment	Awaiting trial	
	Balance from past year	Committed during the present year	Total.					Simple	Rigorous	Simple	Rigorous																		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
COGNIZABLE OFFENCES.																														
1. Criminal breach of trust by public Servant Sec. 409 I. P. C. ...		1	1		1	1									1														
2 Murder Sec. 302 I. P. C ...	1	3	4	2	3	10	7		7					7	1												7		2
3 Causing grievous hurt Secs. 324 and 325 I. P. C. ...		4	4	1	4	6	5		3		2			5	1				2		2	1							
4 Robbery and Kidnapping Secs. 392 and 363 I. P. C....		1	1	1	1	2	1		1					1	1			1											
5 Theft Secs. 379, 380, & 457 I. P.C	2	13	15	23	14	24	14		6		3	5		14	6		1		3	3	1							3	
6 Dacoity Sec. 395 I. P. C. ...	1	5	6	2	3	30	15				15			15	3		2	2					10	4	1			10	
7 Dishonestly receiving stolen property Secs. 411 and 414 I. P. C....																													
8 Mischief by fire Sec. 436 I. P. C. ...		1	1		1	1									1														
9 Rape Sec. 376 I. P. C. ...		1	1	1	1	7									7														
10 Wrongful restraint Sec. 342 I P C ...		3	3		3	6									6														
11 Culpable homicide not amounting to murder Sec. 304 I. P. C. ...																													
12 Causing death by negligence Sec 304 (a) I. P. C....																													
13 Mischief Sec. 428, 429 I P C...				4																									
14 Kidnapping Secs. 366 I. P. C. ...				1																									

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15 Riot Sec. 147 I. P. C.	...	.....	.....	2																											
16 Attempt to commit suicide Sec 309 I. P. C.	...	.....	.....	2																											
17 Resistance to lawful apprehension Sec. 224 I. P. C.	...	1	1	.....	1	1	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1													
18 Criminal trespass and house trespass Secs. 447 and 448 I. P. C	...	17	17	24	17	30	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	4	26					2									2
19 Miscellaneous	...	3	3	5	2	6	3		2				1		3	1															
Total...	4	53	57	68	51	124	50		20		20	10		50	54		3	2	6	3	5	2		10	4	1	7	17			
NON-COGNIZABLE OFFENCES																															
1 Disobedience to an order Sec 186 and 188 I. P. C.	1	.....	1	3	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	
2 Defamation Sec. 500 I. P. C.	.....	1	1	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....													
3 Adultery Sec. 497 I. P. C.	...																														
4 Hurt Sec. 323 I. P. C.	...	42	42	76	41	124	22	...		...	11	11		22	100				11											2	
5 Assault or use of criminal force Sec 352 I. P. C.	.....	9	9	3	9	14	5	...		...	...	5		5	9																
6 Enticing a married woman Sec 498 I. P. C.	.....	2	2	4	2	3		...	...		...		...		3																
7 Causing disappearance of evidence Sec. 201 I. P. Code	.....		.....	1																											
8 Escape from Confinement Sec. 223 I. P. C	1	.....	1	...	1	1	...	.....		...	...		...	...	1																
9 Mischief Sec. 426 I. P. C.	1	5	6	9	6	11	2					2		2	9																
10 Criminal intimidation Sec 506 I. P. C.	...	6	6	17	6	11	1	...		...		1		1	10																
11 Miscellaneous	...	8	8	6	8	17	5	...		...		5		5	12																
Total ..	3	73	76	120	74	183	35				11	24		35	145				11											3	
Other Acts...	1	11	12	26	8	31									19															12	
Grand Total...	8	138	145	214	133	338	85		20		31	84		85	218		3	13	6	3	5	2		10	4	1	7	32			

APPNEDIX—VIII.

Statement showing the number of Offences reported and dealt with by the various Criminal Courts in the Jath State during the year 1922-23

No	Name of Court	Number of offences reported during the year		Number of persons dealt with								Persons disposed of					Persons remaining at the end of the year	Remarks
				Remaining at the end of last year	Brought to trial in 1922-23					Total								
		Past year	Present year		Arrested by Police	Upon warrant	On summons	Voluntary	Arrested in presence of the Magistrate	Past year	Present year	Discharged without trial	Acquitted	Convicted	Committed or referred	Died, escaped or transferred		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1	Huzur Sessions Court	...	4	3	26					5	29	1	8	18		+2		+Died
2	Sessions Court	6	2	1	6					16	7		1	4			2	
3	District Magistrate's Court	76	57		9	20	98	2	1	204	130	36	63	31				
4	Sub-Judge and 1st Class Magistrate's Court	5	13		59					30	59	1	2	11	32		13	
5	Mamlatdar and 1st Class Magt's Court	29	38	8	7	6	59			68	80	14	38	10		×2	16	×one escaped & one died
6	Huzur Chitnis and 2nd Class Magt's Court	17	8		14	4	1			33	19	4	8	7				
7	Special Hd. karkun & 2nd Class Magt's Court	37	9			2	16			73	18	3	13	2				
8	Do Do 3rd " "	...	4	1	2		1				4	2	1	1				
9	Awalkarkun and 3rd Class Magts's Court	17	2		1		1			36	2		2					
10	Khasgi Karbhari and 3rd Class Magt's Court	29	7		4	1	17			64	22	4	17	1				
	Total	210	138	9	96	33	193	2	1	508	334	64	144	63	32	2	29	
	4 Remaining in the Sessions court at the close of the last year.											338	65	153	85		4	31

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APPENDIX IX.

Statement showing the result of appeals against decision passed by the Criminal Courts in the Jath State during the year 1922-23.

Tribunals	Number of applications	Number of persons and cases: Applications rejected		Sentences: Confirmed		Modified		Reversed		Proceedings quashed		Referred		Further enquiry, etc. ordered		Pending		Remarks
		Persons	Cases	Persons	Cases	Persons	Cases	Persons	Cases	Persons	Cases	Persons	Cases	Persons	Cases	Persons	Cases	
1 Chief of Jath ...	13	20	11	5	1	6	1											
2 Sessions Judge ...	3	1	1	2	1	2	1											
3 District Magistrate, Jath ...	6	2	1	4	3	2	2											
Total ...	22	23	13	11	5	6	4											

APPENDIX X

Civil work—Nature and value of original suits filed and disposed of during the year 1922-23

Tribunals	Opening: Past year	Opening: Present year	Filed during the year received by transfer or on remand: Past year	Filed during the year received by transfer or on remand: Present year	Total: Past year	Total: Present year	Disposed of during the year: Past year	Disposed of during the year: Present year	Closing balance: Past year	Closing balance: Present year	Suits filed during present year: Value	Suits regarding landed property	Suits for money transaction	Suits for other rights	Number of suits under Rs 100	Number of suits above Rs 100 and under Rs 500	Number of suits above Rs 500 and under Rs 1000	Number of suits above Rs 1000 & under Rs 5000	Number of suits above Rs 5000	Suits disposed of during Present year: Exparte	Admitted and compromised	Struck off the file	Otherwise disposed of	Value	Average duration	Remarks
											Rs.													Rs.	Y M D.	
1 Distt Judge ...	1	1	1		2	1	1		1	1																
2 1st Class Sub-Judge, Jath	1	2			1	2		1	1	1											1			8000	2-5-28	
3 2nd Class Sub-Judge, Jath	207	185	159	227	366	412	181	225	185	187	44691	99	128		100	111	10	6		28	136	7	54	30117	0-8-25	

APPENDIX XI

Civil Work-Results of applications for Execution of Decrees in the Jath, State for the year 1922-23

Tribunal	Opening balance		Value of opening balance for present year	Applications brought to the Register			Total			Disposed of			Closing Balance			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of the year			Remarks.
	Past year	Present year		Past year	Present year	Value for the Present year	Past year	Present year	Value for the Present year	Past year	Present year	Value for the Present year	Past year	Present year	Value for the Present year	Below 6 months	Below 12 months	Above 12 months	
	.....	.....	Rs.	.....	.....	Rs.	.....	.....	Rs.	.....	.....	Rs.	.....	.....	Rs.	.....	.....	.....	
1st Class Sub-Judge Jath	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
2nd Class Judge Jath. ...	166	174	27531	197	217	21935	363	391	49466	189	211	22542	174	180	26924	63	50	67	

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APPENDIX XII.

Civil Works:—Number and results of appeals in civil suits.

Tribunal.	Opening balance		Filed during		Total		Disposed of during		Closing balance		Value of appeals filed during		How disposed of										Average duration	
													Decisions confirmed		Decisions reversed		Decisions amended		Cases remanded for retrial		Cases Compromised and otherwise disposed of			
	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year
											Rs.	Rs.											Y. M. D.	Y. M. D.
1 Chief of Jath	1	1	4	9	5	10	3	5	1	5	1371	972	2	1	...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	0-3-1	0-2-2
2 State Karbhari and Dist. Judge....	1	17	25	12	26	29	9	19	17	10	2839	1705	5	6	2	6	.....	2	2	2	.....	3	0-7-22	0-9-20

APPENDIX—XIII.

Statement showing the number of persons confined in the Jail and lock-ups in the Jath State during the year 1922-23

Stations		Number of prisoners					Daily Average		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year	Total cost of jail and prisoners	Average period of accused under trial	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in jail
		Number of prisons	Remaining from last year	Admitted during the year	Total		Past year	Present year				
					Past year	Present year						
Jath ...	Tried ...	1	25	53	50	78	21·2	31·2	43	4059	61·4	Nil
	Untried.	.....	1	103	85	104	7·8	17	19	.....	.....	

APPENDIX XIV.

Registration of Documents in the Jath State

Name of State	Documents presented for Registration		Nature of documents presented										Documents registered		Value of documents registered		Documents of which Registry has been refused		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year		REMARKS.
			Mortgage		Sale Deeds		Wills		Money bonds		Miscellaneous										
	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
Jath... ...	749	803	221	208	373	431	5	2	...	1	150	161	749	803	225974	263645	...	...	...	...	

APPENDIX XV.

Statement showing the receipts and expenditure on account of Registration during the year 1922-1923.

Description	Past year.			Present year			Remarks.
	No. of deeds.	Value of property	Fees realised.	No. of deeds.	Value of property	Fees realised	
		Rs	Rs		Rs	Rs	
1 Sale deeds ...	373	123651	942	431	173850	1217	
2 Mortgage deeds	221	76096	538	208	64105	551	
3 Farkats ...	1	1500	6	.....	.....	....	
4 Agreement deeds	2		5	10		26	
5 Kabulayats ...	65	4996	80	71	6290	111	
6 Adoption deeds	13	3800	60	16	1600	74	
7 Gift deeds ...	31	11950	103	28	9550	76	
8 Money bonds...	.....	.....	.....	1	200	2	
9 Wills ...	5	.....	14	2	.....	6	
10 Receipts ...	2	225	2	1	484	4	
11 Miscellaneous .	36	3756	1098	35	7566	1286	
Total ...	749	225974	2848	803	263645	3353	
Deduct expenditure			744			801	
Net profit ...			2104			2552	

APPENDIX XVI.

Receipts and expenditure of the Municipality in the Jath State during the year 1922-1923.

Name.	Opening balance on 7th June 1922	Receipts during the year		Total in current year	Expenditure during the year		Balance on the 7th June 1923	Remarks
		Past	Present		Past	Present		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Jath	494	4491	6249	6743	5421	5010	1733	

APPENDIX XVII.

Statement of rain fall in the Jath State

State	June 1922	July 1922	August 1922	September 1922	October 1922	November 1922	December 1922	January 1923	February 1923	March 1923	April 1923	May 1923	Total	Total of past year	Average of past five years	Remarks
	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	I. C.	
Jath	1·77	1·95	0·85	0·49	0·22	7·25	0·0	0·19	0·23	1·46	0·14	0·0	14·55	16.27	17·33	

APPENDIX XVII A.

Statement showing the area sown with crops and their anna valuation for Fasli year 1332

No.	Name of crop.	Area sown with crop.	Anna valuation	Remarks
	Kharif.	*Acres*		
1	Rice ...	1009	1	
2	Cotton ...	3035	2	
3	Sesamum ...	719	1	
4	Ground-nut ...	350	2	
5	Bajri ...	180200	1	
6	Tur-Dal ...	.....		
7	Mataki ...	2000		
8	Moog ...	.....		
9	Vetch (ઘમા) ...	800		
	Rabi			
10	Jowari ...	337700	2	
11	Karadi ...	3500	2	
12	Gram ...	3050	2	
13	Wheat ...	6093	4	
14	Linseed ...	1182	4	
		539638		

APPENDIX XVIII.

Statement as to prices of staple food grains

Articles	During past year		During present year		Remarks
	Lbs.	Tolas	Lbs	Tolas	
Jowari ...	25	20	25	20	
Bajri ...	...	...	...	...	
Wheat ..	9	30	13	20	
Rice ...	10	22	10	22	
Tur-Dal ...	9	0	10	20	

APPENDIX XIX.

Expenditure on Public Works during the year 1922-23

Description of Works	State Funds			Local Funds			Grand Total	Remarks
	Original	Repairs	Total	Original	Repairs	Total		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs	
1 Repairs to Schools and Dharamshalas...	.....	.....	.....		697	697	697	
2 Repairs State Buildings ...	.....	1777	1777		.....	.....	1777	
3 Construction of a new palace ...	71617	....	71617		.....	.....	71617	
4 Repairs to Roads ...		.....	.....		1341	1341	1341	
5 Water Supply ...		378	378		96	96	474	
6 Building of Police out post ...		250	250		.....	.....	250	
7 Ground rent of the site at Bijapur for a Bungalow ...			77		.....	.....	77.	
8 Miscellaneous ...					110	110	110	
Total ...	71617	2405	74099		2244	2244	76343	
ESTABLISHMENTS.								
1 Pubilc Works ½ ...			399			797	1196	
2 Guest House ...			858			.....	858	
3 Madical ½ ...						1984	1984	
4 Vaccination ...						884	884	
5 Education ½ ...						8586	8586	
6 Pay of Salutary ...						240	240	
7 Cattle on Local Fund Establishment ...						396	396	
8 Remuneration to V. Officers on Local Fund Collections ...						317	317	
9 Remuneration to Pound Keepers ...						.....		
						547	547	
Total ...			1257			13751	15008	
Grand Total ...	71617		75356			15995	91351	

APPENDIX XX

Agricultural stock in the Jath State during the year 1922-23

District	Fasli year	Horses and Cattle									Ploughs		Carts		Remarks
		Bullocks	Cows	Buffaloe Male	Buffaloe Female	Horses	Mares	Colts & fillies	Asses	Sheep and goats	With two bullocks	With four bullocks	Riding	Load carrying	
Jath	1332	19643	12301	174	3184	10751			65	67480	4433	1719	18	1792	

APPENDI XXI

Statement showing the excise revenue of the Jath State during the year 1922-23

Name of state	Country spirit		Opium		Ganja		Taddy		Total		Remarks
	Number of shops	Revenue	Number of shops	Revenue	Number of shops	Revenue	Number of shops	Revenue	Number of shops	Revenue	
				Rs.		Rs.		Rs.		Rs.	
Jath	3	Information not available	3	1664	3	...	6	...	15	1664	

APPENDIX XXII A

Statement showing Receipts of the Jath State for the year 1922-23

No	Items	1921-22	1922-23	Increase	Decrease
		Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Opening Balance...	15072	31216	16144	
1	Land Revenue ...	212091	197483	.....	14608
2	Sayar Revenue ...	23491	14515	.....	8976
3	Law and Justice ...	3592	1041	.....	2551
4	Police ...	14	190	176	.....
5	Jail ...	...	.....	.....	.....
6	Registration ...	2849	3354	505	.....
7	Stamps ...	9481	14627	5146	.....
8	Interest ...	3015	2160	.....	855
9	Forest ...	659	871	212	.....
10	Public Works ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	Miscellaneous ...	9246	596	.....	8650
12	Local Funds ...	15144	14143	.....	1001
13	School Receipts ...	.....	4	4	.....
14	Khasgi ...	5015	3010	.....	2005
15	Deshmukhi ...	28745	26476	.....	2269
16	Khawaskhani ...	21701	18317	.....	3384
17	Pension Fund:—				
	(1) Contribution by the State and Khasgi, Deshmukhi and Khawaskhani Estates ...	.....			
	(2) Contribution by State Servants ...	...			
	(3) Recoveries of loan with interest given from the Pension Fund ...	868	4414	3546	.....
18	Debt heads:—				
	(1) Loans:—				
	(a) Loan received from the British Government ...	60,000	60,000	.....	.....
	(b) Do. Ranisaheb ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(c) Recoveries of loan given ...	6618	4333	.....	2285
	(2) Advances:—				
	(a) Tagai advanced ...	3248	6537	3289	.....
	Advances recovered ...	11300	.....	.....	11300
	(3) Deposits ...	9713	.....	.....	9713
	Total...	426790	372071	12878	67597
	Alienated Lands ...	21979	22019	40	.....
	Total...	448769	394090	12918	67597
	Grand Total with balance...	463841	425306	29062	67597

APPENDIX XXII B

Statement showing Disbursements of the Jath State for the year 1922-23

No	Items	1921-22	1922-23	Increase	Decrease
		Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Administration	10054	9720	...	334
2	Land Revenue	35556	33949	...	1607
3	Law and Justice	8365	9072	707	...
4	Police	18937	18924	...	13
5	Jail	4174	4059	...	115
6	Medical ½	2925	1984	...	941
7	Forest	3289	2775	...	514
8	Registration	614	689	75	...
9	Public Works	65312	75356	10044	...
10	Local Funds	18468	15995	...	2473
11	Education ½	8249	8586	337	...
12	Post	703	324	...	379
13	Stamps	569	369	...	200
14	Inam Adjustment and nemnuks	34667	36245	1578	...
15	Pension Fund:—				
	(1) Pension and Gratuity	3574	3182	...	392
	(2) Loans given from Pension Fund	.....	1000	1000	...
16	Assignment under Treaties and Engagements	23452	12205	...	11247
17	Liquidation of debt	22363	30109	7746	...
18	Domestic charges				
	(1) House hold expenses of the Chief and family	48000	48000	...	...
	(2) Allowance to Mai Sahab	4800	4800	...	...
	(3) Allowance to Aka Saheb	600	600	...	.....
	(4) Provision for the marriage of the Chief's Children	.....	1834	1834	.....
	(5) Miscellaneous	250	.....	...	250
19	Miscellaneous	1353	1794	441	.....
20	Refund	256	639	383	.....
21	Khasgi	45017	39994	...	5023
22	Deshmukhi	3508	3951	443	...
23	Khavaskhani	3182	3122	...	60
24	Expenses on account of Recruiting	.....	.....	...	...
25	Famine Relief	11256	.....	...	11256
26	Acting and Travelling allowance to the State servants	294	278	...	16
27	Contribution to the Pension Fund	.....	.....	...	...
28	Expenses on account of epidemic diseases	.....	.....	...	...
29	Expenses on account of Darbar	409	511	102	...
30	Contribution to Criminal Tribes Settlement				
31	Debt heads:—				
	(1) (a) Contribution to Indian War loan	.....	...	...	...
	(b) Jath peoples' Bank	.....	...	...	...
	(c) Paid from State	560	...	...	560

APPENDIX XXII B-(Continued.)

No	Items	1921-22	1922 23	Increase	Decrease
		Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	(2, Advances:—				
	(a) Tagai advanced	3271	...	...	3271
	(b) Advances given	5423	927	...	4496
	(3) Deposits	...	3685	3685	...
	(4) Investment in Tata Power	...	2800	2800	...
32	Elephant expenass	1608	1665	57	...
33	Census	910	...	...	910
34	Donation	1900	1311	...	589
35	Expenses a/o of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales visit	16778	1753	...	15025
	Total...	410646	382207	31232	59671
	Alienated Lands...	21979	22019	40	...
	Total..	432625	404226	31272	59671
	Closing Balance...	31216	21080	.....	10136
	Grand Total...	463841	425306	31272	69807

APPENDIX XXIII

Statement of medical relief afforded in the Jath State during the year 1922-1923.

Dispensary	Number of patients treated		Result of indoor patients				Expenditure	Daily Average	Remarks
	Out-door	Indoor	Dis-charged	Absented	Died	Remaining under treatment			
							Rs.		
Jath	5116	1	1	...	...	...	3968	33·8	

APPENDIX XXIV.

Vital statistics of Jath State for the year 1922-23

Name	Population	Births		Increase	Decrease	Deaths		Increase	Decrease	Ratio per 1000 of population				Remarks
										Births		Deaths		
		Past year	Present year			Past year	Present year			Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	
Jath State	82654	2759	2954	195	...	1288	1556	268	...	33·3	35·7	15·5	18·8	

APPENDIX—XXV

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Jath State for the year 1922-23

Number of schools		Description of school	Number of pupils on roll on 31st May		Daily average attendance		Expenditure			Remarks
Past year	Present year		Past year	Present year	Past year	Present year	High School	Secondary	Primary	
		1 Anglo-Vernacular school...						Rs.	Rs.	
		1 Girls' schools ...								
33	32	1 Veda school ...	1479	1745	1077	1303	.....	4000	13172	
		27 Marathi schools ...								
		2 Low-Caste schools ...								

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